Supplementary Information for

Gadolinium embedded iron oxide nanoclusters as T1-T2 dual-modal MRI-visible vectors for safe and efficient siRNA delivery

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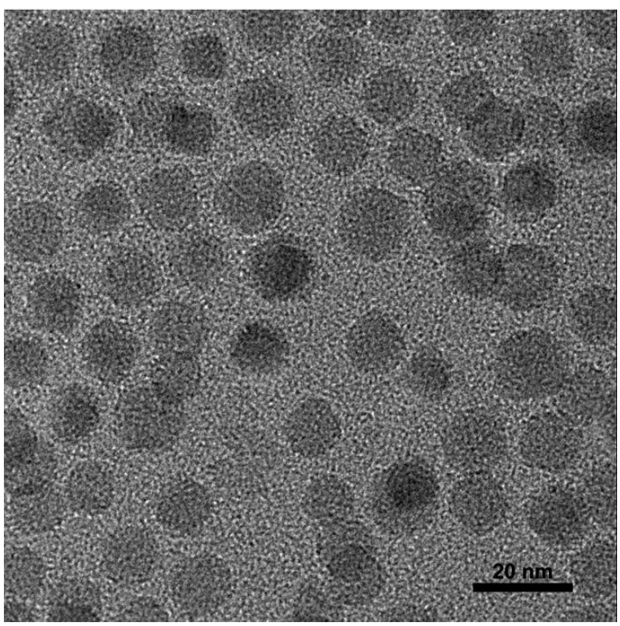

Fig. S1 TEM images of the synthesized GdIO nanoparticles.

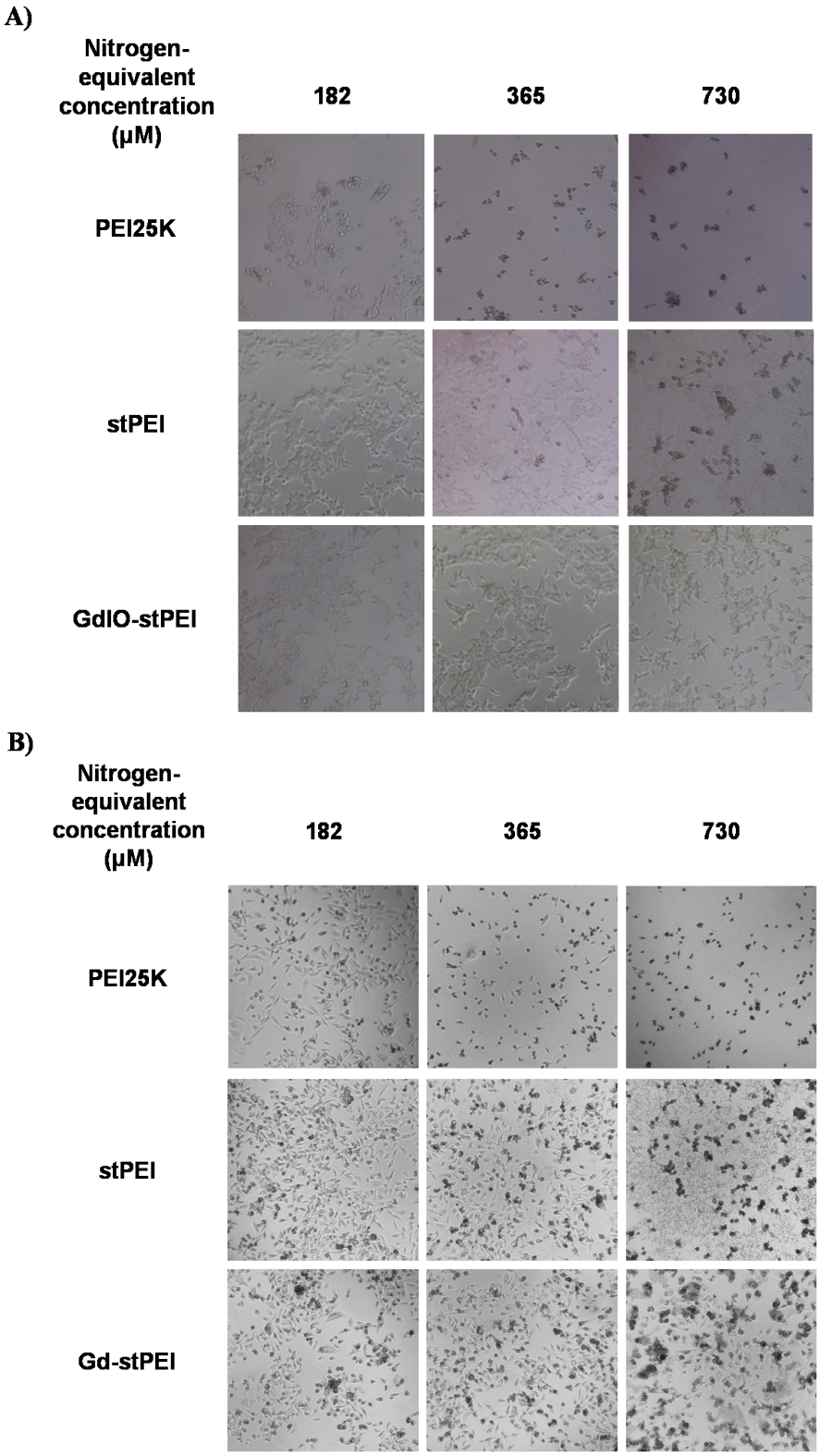

Fig. S2 Comparation of cytotoxicity of GdIO-stPEI/siRNA, stPEI/siRNA and PEI25K/siRNA complexes at the N/P ratio of 60. PEI25K induced 293T (A) and PC-3 (B) cell contraction and then death, while cells expsoed to GdIO-stPEI and stPEI remained viable and intact cell morphology.